

PATENT
Attorney Docket No. 7040.0054-01

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Riccardo CESARINI et al.)
Application Serial No.: 10/679,357) Group Art Unit: 1733
Filed: October 7, 2003) Examiner: Maki, S.D.
For: HIGH PERFORMANCE TIRE) Confirmation No.: 3867
FOR VEHICLES)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

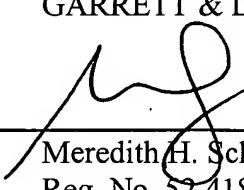
Applicants petition for a three month extension of time to file a reply to the final Office Action of May 2, 2006. A fee of \$1,020.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached reply and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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